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TRANSMITTAL LETTER TO THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US) CONCERNING A FILING UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 P30908 CONFIRMATION NUMBER 2109

U.S. APPLICATION NO. (If known, see 37 CFR 1.5)

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INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO. PCT/JP2005/006740	INTERNATIONAL FILING DATE April 6, 2005	PRIORITY DATE CLAIMED April 8, 2004							
TITLE OF INVENTION JOINING METHOD AND DEVICE THEREFOR									
APPLICANT(S) FOR DO/EO/US Tatsuo SASAOKA, Satoshi HORIE, Isamu AOKURA, Yoshihiko YAGI and Kazuki FUKADA									
Applicant herewith submits to the United State	Applicant herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information.								
1. This is a FIRST submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371.									
This is a SECOND or SUBSEQUENT	2. ☑ This is a SECOND or SUBSEQUENT submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371.								
 This is an express request to promptly (6), (9) and (23) indicated below. 	3. This is an express request to promptly begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371(f)). The submission must include items (5), (6), (9) and (23) indicated below.								
4. The US has been elected (PCT Article	I. The US has been elected (PCT Article 31).								
5. ☐ A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)) a. ☐ is attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau). b. ☐ has been communicated by the International Bureau. c. ☐ is not required, as the application was filed in the United States Receiving Office (RO/US).									
 a. is attached hereto. 									
 a. are attached hereto (required o b. have been communicated by the c. have not been made; however, 	7. Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(e)(3)) a. are attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau). b. have been communicated by the International Bureau. c. have not been made, however, the time limit for making such amendments has NOT expired. d. have not been made and will not be made.								
8. An English language translation of the	amendments to the claims under PCT Article	e 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)).							
9. An oath or declaration of the inventor	An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) (35 U.S.C371(c)(4)).								
"EXECUTED"									
 An English language translation of the 371(c)(5)). 	An English language translation of the annexes to the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(5)).								
Items 11 to 22 below concern other document(s) or information included:									
11. Assignee: Matsushita Electric Industrial Co., Ltd. of Osaka, Japan									
12. An Information Disclosure Statement	under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98.								
13. An assignment document for recording	g. A separate cover sheet in compliance with	37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included.							
A FIRST preliminary amendment. A SECOND or SUBSEQUENT preliminary amendment.	ninary amendment.								
15. An Application Data Sheet under 37 C	C.F.R. 1.76.								
 A substitute specification. 									
17. A power of attorney and/or change of	address letter.								
18. Figure of Drawing to be published:									
19. A computer-readable form of the sequence	A computer-readable form of the sequence listing in accordance with PCT Rule 13ter.2 and 35 U.S.C. 1.821-1.825.								
20. A second copy of the published intern	A second copy of the published international application under 35 U.S.C. 154 (d) (4).								
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22. Other items or information: Cover Letter									

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If International preliminary examination report prepared by USPTO and all claims satisfy provisions of PCT Articles 3(1)(4)	Basic national fee		300,00		\$ 0.00			
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TOTAL 23, 24 and 25 =	Search fee (37 CFR 1.445 International Searching Auth International Search Report	ority prepared and provided to the Of	\$ 0.00					
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